UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC WAR CRIMES BRANCH

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MEMORANDUM TO: Prosecution Section (Report No. 253)

THRU: Executive Officer, War Crimes Branch

SUBJECT: Atrocities at Bogo, Cebu, P.I., August - November 1944.

II. SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE:

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During August, September, October and November 1944
Japanese military forces maintained the garrison at the Medellin
Sugar Central near Bogo, Cebu, P.I. In these four months civilians
in this vicinity were beaten, shot, bayonetted and raped.

on 17 August 1944 a Filipino fisherman was shot and killed because he refused to work at the sugar mill (R 23).

In September 1944 a suspected guerrilla in custody at the garrison was shot and wounded. As he ran outside the guard-house in an effort to escape, he fell and was bayonetted to death (R 23). Three Filipino girls who had been seized by the Japanese and apparently raped repeatedly were led away from the garrison, after which, shots were heard. Six days later their dead bodies were found near the wharf (R 33).

On 12 October 1944 two women were bayonetted to death in their home (R 22) and a third was severely beaten (R 52). Two other Filipino girls were raped, one of them by several Japanese soldiers (R 25, 28, 29). One of the victims then was forced to live with a Japanese corporal as his mistress for three weeks (R 29).

On 17 October 1944 Japanese soldiers burned houses and a warehouse (R 2). The same day twenty-five persons were bayonetted to death, apparently in revenge for sabotage and guerrilla activities (R 17, 18).

During November 1944 two prisoners were bayonetted to death by some twenty Japanese soldiers apparently for having worn khaki clothing (R 10).

「ボゴ」二覧ケル短牌行為ノ作作名、一九四四年/昭和十九年/八月-十一月、比局「セブ」龍白、歌母犯罪交那團指揮官內移将衣後 部 衛 磐 杳 (報告替第二五三號)一九四六年/昭和二十一年/三月二十一日大平淮區朱國國軍總司令郡歐牟犯罪支形

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**絵刻ノ開災及と婆等ヲ受ケク。** ノ四ケ月間ニ、コノ附近ノ一後人へ際打、射線、開近ノ「メテリン」中央災治所ニ屯營シタ。コ及ビナ一月ノ同、日本軍へ出島「セブ」「ポゴ」」九四四年/昭和十九年/八月、九月、十月

三付張サレタ (ヨニ三部)。比無人流夫へ製衛所ニテ向クコトヲ拒ンダ高メー九四四年/昭和十九年/八月十七日一名ノ

タ三名/比島人/続方守伯欧磐合カラ巡レ去う日本兵ニ龍へラレテ、一目暗然隠泥シ郊磨サレッタト+彼へ倒レ錠剣子刺發サレタ (B11三號)。サレ資物シタ。逸ゲヤウトシテ衛兵所,外ラ定ニ物家中,一名,「ゲリラ」 欧良容疑害へ射線

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